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SUBJ: PRIVILEGES & IMMUNITIES: PASSENGER SERVICE CHARGES ON COMM-
ERCIAL AIRCRAFT APPLICABLE TO PASSENGERS FLYING OUT OF
MALAYSIA

1. PARAGRAPH 3 OF THE MALAYSIAN CIVIL AVIATION DEPARTMENT'S
LANDING, PARKING & HOUSING, PASSENGER SERVICE AND AIR NAVIGATION
FACILITY CHARGES REGULATIONS 1976 IS QUOTED BELOW.

3. PASSENGER SERVICE CHARGES

3.1 A PASSENGER SERVICE CHARGE SHALL BE PAYABLE IN
RESPECT OF ANY PERSON BOARDING AN AIRCRAFT CARRYING
PASSENGERS FOR HIRE OR REWARD AT THE RATES SPECIFIED
IN THE SECOND SCHEDULE HERETO EXCEPT:

(A) A PASSENGER IN DIRECT TRANSIT (I.E. PROCEEDING
ON THE SAME FLIGHT OR WHO IS NOT CLEARED TO LEAVE
THE AIRPORT AREA AUTORIZED FOR USE BY TRANSIT
PASSENGERS OR WHO HAS BEEN INVOLUNTARILY DELAYED
OR TRANSFERRED TO THE NEXT AVAILABLE SERVICE TO HIS
NEXT POINT OF DISEMBARKATION, DUE TO WEATHER OR
AIRCRAFT UNSERVICEABILITY CAUSES);

(B) THE OPERATING CREW OF THE AIRCRAFT;
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(C) AN INFANT BELOW THE AGE OF TWO YEARS;

(D) HEADS OF STATE INCLUDING THEIR ENTOURAGE,
MINISTERS AND OTHER DIGNITARIES VISITING MALAYSIA
AS STATE GUESTS;

(E) MEMBERS OF DIPLOMAT AND CONSULAR CORPS, ON
THE BASIS OF RECIPROCITY;

(F) AT SUCH AIRPORTS AND IN RESPECT OF SUCH OTHER
PERSON OR PERSONS AS THE DIRECTOR GENERAL MAY FROM
TIME TO TIME SPECIFY.

SECOND SCHEDULE

(PARAGRAPH 3)

PASSENGER SERVICE CHARGES

(I) \$2.00 FOR EACH PASSENGER PROCEEDING TO ANY PLACE WITHIN
MALAYSIA.

(II) \$4.00 FOR EACH PASSENGER PROCEEDING TO A PLACE IN THE
REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE OR THE STATE OF BRUNEI.

(III) \$7.00 EACH PASSENGER PROCEEDING TO A DESTINATION OUTSIDE
MALAYSIA OTHER THAN THE REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE OR THE STATE
OR BRUNEI.

APPLICABLE AT THE FOLLOWING AIRPORTS: ALOR SETAR, BINTULU, IPOH,
JOHOR BAHRU, KOTA BHARU, KOTA KINABALU, KUALA LUMPUR, KUALA
TRENGGANU, KUANTAN, KUCHING, LABUAN, LAHAT DATU, MALACCA, MIRI,
PENANG, SANDAKAN, SIBU, TAWAU.

2. NOTE THAT SUB PARAGRAPH 3.1 (E) PROVIDES FOR EXEMPTION TO
THESE CHARGES FOR MEMBERS OF THE DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR CORPS ON
THE BASIS OF RECIPROCITY.

3. PLEASE INFORM WHETHER OR NOT MALAYSIAN DIPLOMATS AND CONSULAR
PERSONNEL ARE ACCORDED EXEMPTIONS FROM AIRPORT SERVICE CHARGES
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OR TAXES OR CHARGES SIMILAR TO THE ABOVE EITHER IN THE UNITED
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